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In re the Application of:

Toshihiro Ohtani

Serial No. 10/092,305

Group Art Unit: 2613

Confirmation No. 2699

Filed: March 7, 2002

Examiner: Quan Zhen Wang

For: NOISE LIGHT ELIMINATION METHOD, NOISE LIGHT ELIMINATION APPARATUS
AND OPTICAL TRANSMISSION SYSTEM, USING STIMULATED BRILLOUIN
SCATTERING

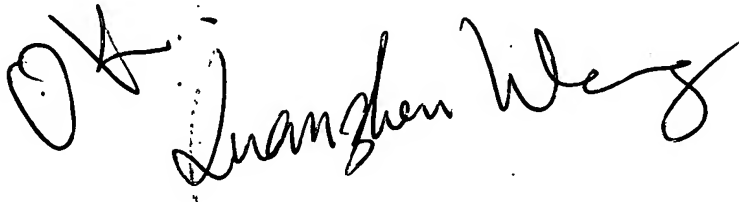
SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a Supplemental Amendment filed to supplement the Response filed on August 18, 2006 for the above-identified application.

The following claim amendments are respectfully submitted.

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